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1. [REDACTED] with acquaintances in Peronista circles reports that there is considerable talk that Juan Bramuglia may be replaced as Foreign Minister of Argentina by Raul Valenzuela, a member of the Supreme Court. [REDACTED] reports that, despite the insistence of Mrs. Peron, the President does not want to replace him in the cabinet.
2. [REDACTED] confirms that Bramuglia's trouble stems primarily from the enmity of Mrs. Peron. It is believed that Bramuglia will remain in office although his political influence will be less pronounced than heretofore.
3. Bramuglia is said to have amassed a healthy personal fortune in recent years with the help of Orlando Maroglio, president of the Central Bank of Argentina. He is reported to have had private business connections with other individuals of unsavory reputation such as a wealthy Polish Jew, Eduardo Berenbaum. In view of Bramuglia's associations with such individuals, Mrs. Peron has found it easy to launch a campaign against him.

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